

NOAA Kids Day 2012

Activities for 7 to 9 year olds

A Titanic Presentation:

Join us in the Ocean Exploration Command Center where video from ocean expeditions comes from the seafloor live on plasma screens. It's a place where scientists ashore are part of ocean expedition at sea, no matter where in the world the ship may be. See video of strange ocean animals from previous expeditions, and learn about shipwrecks that have been found on the ocean floor – including Titanic! – receive a free Titanic poster.

Painting The Ocean: NOS

In this workshop we will be painting creatures of the ocean. Using unfinished wood cutout fish, and other sea creatures, the children will create exotic and colorful fish plaques that can be displayed on the wall, or on a desk stand. We will be using brushes, acrylic paints and markers. The children will be encouraged to use their imagination and there will also be vivid pictures they may want to reference.

Amazing Faces from Different Places: NMFS

This workshop will provide participants with an experience in crafting their very own colorful masks. Participants will be able to take home their craft after the workshop.

Mapping the Skies: FAA

This workshop will be an introduction to the Visual Chart Product. They will see an instructional video depicting actual preflight and cross country airplane trips. Also, there will be chart plotting of the cross country on the Visual Chart Product and questions. The kids will go home with their charts and some other giveaways.

Weather J-I-N-G-O: NWS

Playing Weather JINGO will be an exciting addition to the workshops. It is used to introduce the unit, assess student knowledge and review or reinforce basic facts and concepts. After listening to clues read by the leader, players will search a JINGO card for the appropriate icon and cover it. Bingo rules, knowledge, and luck determine the winner.

Tornados:

In this workshop, the students will learn:

- What They Are & How Children Can Help Families Prepare
- Workshop will include fun facts, a cartoon presentation and activities!